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3739Invention: **IMAGING UNIT FOR ENDOSCOPES****MAY 21 2003**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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